Please identify the factors Mr. Helton believes should be considered in determining where to route the proposed Transmission Line.

Response

Response provided by Richard Helton, Village Manager, (217) 359-5894.

- 1. Location of populated areas
- 2. Location of businesses in the area
- 3. Areas identified as high growth
- 4. Potential issues of health risk
- 5. Potential of fast growth in the area
- 6. Obstacles in the area such as churches, schools, parks, residential, industrial
- 7. Future growth needs in the greater area

Please identify the developments "in the planning stage" as referenced on p. 5, line 98. Provide all Documents relied upon to support this answer.

Response

Response provided by Richard Helton, Village Manager, (217) 359-5894.

Because of the delicate nature of developments in negotiation there is no need to be specific other than indicating potential health risks to those would live and work in the area of the high power lines.

Provide all analyses and studies performed by or for Savoy of the effect of the proposed Transmission Line on people in the vicinity of Curtis Road.

Response

Response provided by Richard Helton, Village Manager, (217) 359-5894.

The Village has not engaged professionals to complete any studies or analyses on the effect of the proposed Transmission Line on people in the vicinity of the Curtis Road corridor.

Provide all analyses and studies performed by or for Savoy of the impact of blockage on Curtis Road on emergency responders.

Response

Response provided by Richard Helton, Village Manager, (217) 359-5894.

There have been no analyses or studies completed by or for the Village of Savoy relative to potential blockages impacting emergency responders.

Explain the basis for Mr. Helton's statement on page 8 of his direct testimony that "interested parties are likely to lose interest in the property . . . " and provide all Documents Mr. Helton relies on to support his answer.

Response

Response provided by Richard Helton, Village Manager, (217) 359-5894.

Again we will not speak directly about "interested parties" for potential development because of the sensitive nature of discussions, but the issue of this Transmission Line has been a part of discussions and concerns have been expressed. There are other properties not in the vicinity and in other communities without the presumed and potential issues potential parties could go to.

Is Mr. Helton aware of any parties that have actually lost interest? If so, please identify such party and provide all Documents Mr. Helton relies on to support his answer.

Response

Response provided by Richard Helton, Village Manager, (217) 359-5894.

See answer to AIC-SAV 1.13

With respect to Mr. Helton's testimony on lines 164-65, identify each other company that would be "adversely affected" by the Primary Route. For each such company, explain why the Primary Route would "adversely affect" the company and provide all Documents Mr. Helton relies on to support his answer.

Response

Response provided by Richard Helton, Village Manager, (217) 359-5894.

See answer to AIC-SAV 1.13

Does Mr. Helton agree AIC has an existing 138kV line along Curtis Road between Mattis Avenue and IL-45? If not, explain why not.

Response

Response provided by Richard Helton, Village Manager, (217) 359-5894.

I have been told by representatives of Ameren Illinois Company that there is an existing 138 kV line along Curtis Road between Mattis Avenue and IL-45. I have no reason to believe that these representations are not true.

Does Mr. Helton agree that, if the Commission approves AIC's proposed primary route, AIC will reclassify this existing 138 kV line as a transmission line? If not, explain why not.

Response

Response provided by Richard Helton, Village Manager, (217) 359-5894.

Based upon the following representation, found at p. 5 Paragraph 8, of the Petition filed herein by Ameren Illinois Company, I believe that AIC will reclassify the existing 138 kV line as a transmission line: "It will be re-classified as 'transmission' but requires no further upgrades to serve as part of the Transmission Line. Although AIC will only be constructing the two New Segments, AIC seeks a Certificate for the entire Transmission Line because the Existing Distribution Line is being reclassified as transmission."

Does Mr. Helton agree that, if the Commission approves AIC's proposed primary route, AIC will not construct any additional 138 kV lines on Curtis Road where the existing 138 kV line is located? If not, explain why not.

Response

Response provided by Richard Helton, Village Manager, (217) 359-5894.

Based upon the representations set forth in the Petition herein, and described in my response to AIC-SAV 2.03 above, I agree.